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SUBJECT: CHINESE VISITORS

1. ETHIOPIAN HERALD JULY 6 REPORTS ARRIVAL JULY 5 FOR OVERNIGHT VISIT OF UN UNDERSECRETARY GENERAL FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS AND DECOLONIZATION, MR. TANG MING CHAO.

2. PAPER ALSO REPORTS ARRIVAL SAME DATE ON THREE-DAY VISIT FOR TALKS WITH EPMG OFFICIALS OF MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS, PRC MR. C. YEH. PRESS STATES THAT YEH TO DISCUSS ROAD PROJECT BEING BUILT IN ETHIOPIA UNDER CHINESE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.

3. WUSU DELEGATION, A TRADITIONAL MARTIAL ARTS TROUPE FROM PRC, ARRIVED IN ETHIOPIA JULY 5 FOR "SHORT STAY." FIFTY-MAN TROUPE PERFORMED AT NATIONAL THEATER ON ONLY 24-HOUR NOTICE TO DIP CORPS AND PUBLIC. THIS IS SAME GROUP THAT HAS PERFORMED IN THE U.S., ACCORDING PRESS.

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4. PRC JETLINER CARRYING INTER ALIA 117 CHINESE TABLE TENNIS

PLAYERS TO FORTHCOMING AFRO-ASIAN GAMES IN LAGOS STOPPED OVER
FOR ONE HOUR IN ADDIS JULY 5. PASSENGERS, WHO INCLUDED PLAYERS
FROM NORTH KOREA, PAKISTAN, NEPAL AND LAOS BESIDES THE 117
CHINESE, ATTENDED FOLKLORE SHOW AT AIRPORT PUT ON BY ORCHESTRA
ETHIOPIA IN THEIR HONOR.

5. COMMENT: UN UNDERSECRETARY GENERAL AND MARTIAL ARTS TROUPE
TRANSITING ETHIOPIA EN ROUTE FROM MOZAMBIQUE INDEPENDENCE
CELEBRATIONS. WE SHALL REPORT SUBSTANCE OF UN UNDERSECRETARY
GENERAL AND PRC MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS CONVERSATIONS HERE AS
IT BECOMES AVAILABLE.
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